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Special Prayer Requests

Patricia Echavarria, Jessie Echavarria's daughter

The Rev. Glenda Watts, HR

[Link to this week's Partnership of Prayer](#)



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In Heartland Presbytery

Phone service at the Heartland Presbytery offices may be interrupted at various times on Monday, June 9, 2014 as a new phone system is put in place. Please be patient and if it is urgent you may [email the party you need](#).

The Sexual Misconduct Response Panel (SMRP) of Heartland Presbytery's last training event for 2014 will be on Tuesday, June 10 from 9:30 - 11:30 am at Village Presbyterian Church, 6641 Mission Rd., Prairie Village, KS 66208. Please RSVP by email to [Jessie Echavarria](#) or 816-924-1730. [Link here for more information](#) on the session. (Submitted by staff)

The Guatemala Partnership has provided this [link to an "excellent New York Times article"](#) regarding the country's hard-won progress against violence. (Submitted by Rachel Lausch)

Read through the [Presbyterian Women of Heartland Presbytery's June e-Connection](#). (Submitted by Pam Nitsche)

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Join the conversation about the Israeli-Palestinian conflict on Sunday, June 8 at 12 Noon at Second Church, 318 E. 55th, Kansas City, MO 64113. A light lunch will be served before the event, call 816-363-1300 for lunch reservations. No reservations are needed if you only want to attend the presentation. [Link here to more information.](#) (Submitted by Bill Tammeus)

You are invited to a New Piano Dedication Recital on Sunday, June 8 at 4 pm at Central Presbyterian Church, 3501 Campbell St, Kansas City, MO 64109. The one-hour recital will move from classical to jazz, and will be followed by a reception. All are welcome. (Submitted by Heidi Peterson)

Congratulations to Village Presbyterian Church's accomplishment of gaining recertification as a PC (USA) Earth Care Congregation through March 2015! [Link to the official notification](#) from the PC (USA) Environmental Ministries and visit www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/environment/ to find out how your congregation can also become an Earth Care Congregation. (Submitted by Rebecca Barnes)

The United Christian and Presbyterian Church of Lawson, MO will celebrate the 165th Anniversary of the founding of the Presbyterian Church on June 18, 1849. Their celebration of this historic event will be on Sunday, June 8 during the morning worship at the church in Watkins Mill State Park. Following worship will be a picnic and games. Call 816-296-3991 for more information on times and location. (Submitted by staff)

Join in the celebration of the 60th Anniversary of Rev. Robert Ceperley's Ordination on Sunday, June 8 from 11:30 am - 1:30 pm at the First Presbyterian Church, 211 S. Main St., Maryville, MO 64468. For more information call 660-582-4257 or visit maryvillepresbyterian.org and click on the *Newsletter - Page 1* tab. (Submitted by staff)

At a congregational meeting on June 1 the congregation of Trinity Presbyterian Church in St. Joseph, MO voted to move to a new place of worship thus completing the first phase of their redevelopment effort. [Follow this link to the rest of the announcement.](#) (Submitted by Sarah Butler)

In the Larger Church

Announcing the [May 2014 Festival of Sharing](#)

[Mountains Leadership Training](#)

[Youth July 16 Worlds of Fun/Oceans of Fun Outing](#)

[newsletter](#). Read more about the Quilt Auction to held on October 18 in Sedalia, MO. (Submitted by Terri Williams)

Scholarships Available for Hosting Mission Co-Workers

Just a small church? We can help! [Presbyterian World Mission](#) is able to offer some scholarships to cover all or part of the travel expenses for mission co-workers visiting small churches. While there is some flexibility, typically this scholarship is available for churches under 100 members that are unable to cover the travel cost. Contact [Rachel Anderson](#) for details. (Submitted by Leigh Gillis)

Reminders and Other Links

Purchase your 2014-2015 Presbyterian Planning Calendars through Heartland Presbytery. The cost per calendar is \$9.50 and we have them in stock. To order through PayPal visit <http://javapodz.com/heartlandpresbytery>. If you pre-ordered calendars contact the Heartland Presbytery office (816-924-1730) to pick your order up.

Send events, announcements, and joys and concerns for the *Heartland Connection* to communication@heartlandpby.org by Wednesday each week for publication in the next week's edition.

Follow this link for Presbyterian Church (USA) News & Announcements:
newsandannouncements@pcusa.org

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